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GO# 2017-518867 ARREST-DETECTIVE

110A-2 SEXUAL BATTERY-FORCIBLE RAPE

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Document: **INITIAL REPORT**Author: **44498 - WARD, ROBIN**Related date/time: **Oct-06-2017 (Fri.)**

On 10/06/17 at approximately 1830 hours MPO B. Baird and I were riding as a two man unit when we responded to the District III lobby in reference to a possible sexual battery complaint.

Upon our arrival I met with the complainant who identified herself as provided the listed sworn verbal and written statements via TPD for 310.

was possibly a victim of "date rape" and believed she had been given an unknown drug in an "Absinthe" based drink, which rendered her unconscious for approximately seven hours.

had met a 27yo white male named "Robbie" via the Tinder app. described "Robbie" as approximately 6'2 220lbs. with sandy colored hair and light possibly hazel eyes. "Robbie" had acne on his back and no tattoos that she noticed. After the incident identified "Robbie" as possibly Robert Woods. According to Woods' Facebook page he is a pharmacist, possibly employed at Tampa General Hospital.

I notified Sgt. Hoskins who notified our sex crimes unit. Det. Joshua O'Nolan responded to the District office and met with see supplement.

indicated she had already been examined at the Crisis Center. I contacted the Crisis Center and spoke with the on call nurse examiner who advised only their director, able to provide completed sexual battery packets during normal business hours Monday- Friday.

provided her SAS which I provided to Det. O'Nolan who advised he would arrange retrieval of the packet on Monday.

was provided with this report number.

This completed this officer's portion of the investigation. See detective's supplement for further details.

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Author: 49749 - O'NOLAN, JOSHUA Related date/time: Oct-11-2017 (Wed.) 2123

I am currently assigned to the Criminal Investigations Division, Major Crimes Bureau, Sex Crimes and Family Violence Unit. On 10/6/17 at approximately 1930 hrs., I was contacted by A/Sgt. A. Hughes and advised that the victim was at District III filing a report regarding the fact that she believed that she was drugged and raped by a suspect she met on Tinder. I was advised that the victim was cooperative and was willing to conduct a controlled phone call to the suspect.

I advised Hughes that I would respond to District III and attempt the controlled phone call and would advise on the results, if any.

I arrived at District III and met with MPO R. Ward in the front lobby. MPO Ward was obtaining the victims written statement as I arrived. MPO Ward advised that the victim advised she met the suspect "Robbie" at the District Tavern (Located at 112 12th St N, Tampa, FL) after arranging to meet the suspect on Tinder, a dating website. MPO Ward advised that the victim stated that the suspect convinced the victim that there was a party up at his apartment (Unit #1810), which was in the same building as the District Tavern bar and was called "Skyhouse Channelside". MPO ward advised that the victim advised that after she drank a shot of "Absinthe" that the suspect poured for her, she blacked out at some point after smoking a cigarette and awoke nude in the suspects bed. The victim advised MPO Ward that the suspect admitted to having sex with the victim while she was "blacked out" and had sex again with the victim after she awoke nude in his bed.

MPO Ward advised that the victim had already been to Brandon Regional Hospital and was referred to the Crisis Center to be evaluated by Nurse Examiner. I was advised that due to the fact that the victim did not initially report this incident, the Crisis center advised they would release the Sexual assault Kit results to Law Enforcement once the victim filed a report.

VICTIM INTERVIEW

I met with the victim and identified her via Florida D/L as . The victim was driven to District III by her mother. The victim was calm, but upset about her experiences with the suspect and was afraid that she had been drugged and raped.

I read the victims written statement while with the victim and then obtained a verbal statement from the victim.

The victim advised that she met the suspect on "Tinder" and knew him only as "Robbie". The victim stated that upon agreeing to meet, "Robbie" recommended the District Tavern. Later "Robbie" informed the victim that his apartment was upstairs and in the same building as the District Tavern.

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The victim advised the time was approximately 9:50 pm when she met with "Robbie" at District Tavern. The victim advised that while at the District Tavern she and "Robbie" had one beer and then went to "Robbie's" apartment. The victim recalled "Robbie" asking her at the District Tavern if the victim was on birth control and what type of birth control she used. The victim advised "Robbie" that she was using the IUD type birth control, to which "Robbie" informed the victim that IUD was his favorite.

The victim advised that upon arriving at "Robbie's" apartment, she was amazed by the view of the Tampa skyline and videoed it using her cell phone. The victim advised that while she was videoing the skyline, "Robbie" was making them both drinks. After the victim was done videoing, "Robbie" asked the victim if she wanted to play a "game". The victim agreed and "Robbie" explained that the point of the game was to catch a balloon that had been lying on the ground with other balloons. According to the victim, "Robbie" explained that the first person to drop the balloon thrown to them would have to take a shot. The victim agreed and "Robbie" then "spiked" the balloon to the ground so that the victim could not catch the balloon. The victim advised that she then took a shot in the shot glass that "Robbie" had poured for her, which the victim believed to be an alcoholic beverage called "Absinthe". The victim advised that "Robbie" asked the victim prior to consuming the shot if she had consumed any "energy drinks" that day, to which the victim advised that she had not. The victim could not recall the taste of the beverage to describe it. The victim could also not recall if "Robbie" consumed a shot himself.

The victim advised that after the shot, the game was over and both the victim and "Robbie" sat on the couch to watch a movie. The victim advised that while watching the movie, "Robbie" began making advances on the victim and tried to kiss the victim and touch the victim. The victim advised she was not interested in being romantic with "Robbie" at that point and advised she was going out to the balcony to smoke a cigarette. The victim advised that "Robbie" then told her he was going to the bathroom.

The victim advised she arrived on the balcony while "Robbie" spent approximately 5-10 minutes in the bathroom, which was located in his bedroom. The victim advised that smoking the cigarette was the last thing she recalled from the night.

The victim stated that the next thing she recalled was waking up abruptly and unnaturally at approximately 6;15 a.m. and completely nude in "Robbie's" bed. The victim stated that she felt completely "out of it" and could not recall anything that happened after smoking the cigarette on the balcony. The victim, realizing that she was completely nude in "Robbie's" bed, asked "Robbie" if the two had engaged in sexual intercourse.

"Robbie" advised the victim that they had, in fact, had sex and the victim advised "Robbie" that she didn't remember any of it, to which "Robbie" replied "That's okay".

The victim advised that while still in a "fog" and not feeling well. "Robbie" had sex with the victim once again. The victim felt that she consented at the time because she was scared and not in control of her faculties. The victim advised that she could neither consent or deny "Robbie" based on her condition. The victim advised that once "Robbie" was done having sex with the victim, she got dressed and departed.

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The victim advised that as she left, she was so inebriated that she could not negotiate the ticket machine to exit the parking garage that she was parked in. The victim further advised that while backing up to leave, she remembered backing into a fence prior to departing.

The victim advised that she did not feel well enough to drive home, but had no choice, as she was scared and upset about everything that had occurred at "Robbie's" apartment. The victim stated that as she drove home, she knew she was driving erratically by driving the wrong way down a one way street and felt like everyone diving around her was staring at her and wondering what was wrong with her.

The victim advised that she received a text from "Robbie" later that day and he asked the victim "Are you alive?"

The victim replied "barely" or "hardly" and never received any reply from "Robbie". The victim later checked and discovered that "Robbie" had deleted his Tinder account and deleted the victim from Snapchat.

The victim advised that she felt she could have stopped all of these events from occurring by paying attention to what she referred to as "red flags" and she was upset because "Robbie" convinced her that other people would be at the apartment and they weren't.

The victim advised that the phone number "Robbie" gave her and the number in which the victim and "Robbie" communicated was

The victim advised that she looked the phone number up on the computer and found "Robbie" to actually be Robert Woods and 27 years old.

INVESTIGATION

I requested that the victim proceed to TPD Headquarters while I conduct further investigation, to which the victim agreed. The victims mother drove the victim to TPD Headquarters.

Once at TPD Headquarters, I asked to wait in a private room located in the main lobby.

I proceeded to my office and conducted a computer check of the phone number provided by the victim and believed to be "Robbie's" cell phone number.



Further investigation revealed that the District Tavern was also located at 112 12th Street N, Tampa, FL.

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